



October 2021

# Counseling Corner

## Visit the Counseling Corner!

The Counseling Corner's doors are open for all students throughout the school day. Feel free to drop in, or submit a self-referral –click [here](#).

**Hours are:**

**Monday - Friday**

**8:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.**



## Motivation: You Can Do It!

"Do more than belong: participate. Do more than care: help. Do more than believe: practice. Do more than be fair: be kind. Do more than forgive: forget. Do more than dream: work." - William Arthur Ward

"I am not discouraged, because every wrong attempt discarded is another step forward." - Thomas Edison

"Have patience with all things, but chiefly have patience with yourself. Do not lose courage in considering your own imperfections, but instantly set about remedying them - every day begin the task anew." - St. Francis DeSales

"Man often becomes what he believes himself to be...If I have the belief that I can do it, I shall surely acquire the capacity to do it even if I may not have it in the beginning." - Mahatma Gandhi

"The tragedy in life doesn't lie in not reaching your goal. The tragedy lies in having no goal to reach." - Benjamin E. Mays

"No one has ever drowned in sweat." - Lou Holtz

"Watch your thoughts; they become words. Watch your words; they become actions. Watch your actions; they become habits. Watch your habits; they become character. Watch your character; it becomes your destiny." - Frank Outlaw

"Twenty years from now you will be more disappointed by the things you didn't do than by the ones you did. So throw off the bowlines. Sail away from the safe harbor. Catch the trade winds in your sails. Explore. Dream. Discover." - Mark Twain

## Save the Dates

- ❖ **October 19 - End of Quarter 1**
- ❖ **October 22 - Teacher Workday**

## Meet the Counselors



### **Ms. Yvonne McDaniel**

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School Counselor/Career Specialist  
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### **Ms. Nicole Brooks**

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Social-Emotional Counselor  
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### **Ms. Kendra Wilson**

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Ripple Effects is an online program for students that promotes self-awareness, social awareness, self-management, responsible decision-making and relationship skills.

**RIPPLE EFFECTS FOR TEENS: FOR ALL JPT STUDENTS**

Click [here](#) to complete the Screen for Strengths.

You must create an account to take the screener. Enter your school lunch number as the student ID. Be sure to remember your login info. Complete the Strength for Teens questions. Set a goal to complete this screener by the end of the month. Information on how to access lessons will be sent to you at a later time.

Email us if you have questions.

**Character Education - Word of the Month**

**- Responsibility - being dependable, making good choices, and taking accountability for your actions**



What  
YOU DO  
today  
CAN  
IMPROVE  
all your  
tomorrows.

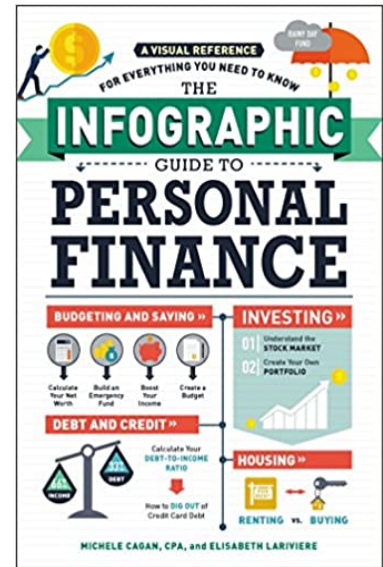
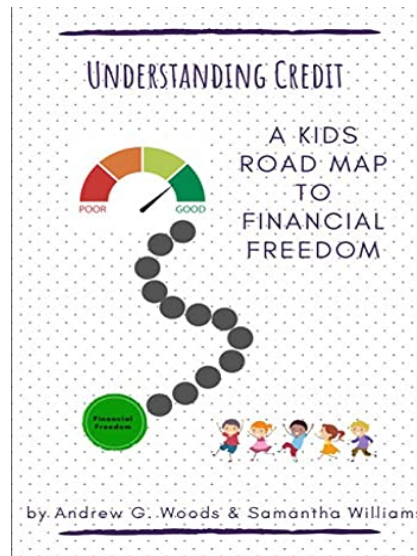
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Class of 2022 - Beginning in September we will have a book study of:

## October Senior Session Activities

**\$ Understanding Your Finances \$**

### October Book Selection



#### Money Quotes

If you want to know the value of money, go and try to borrow some

Franklin



*Basic Car Care*

*Soft Skills*

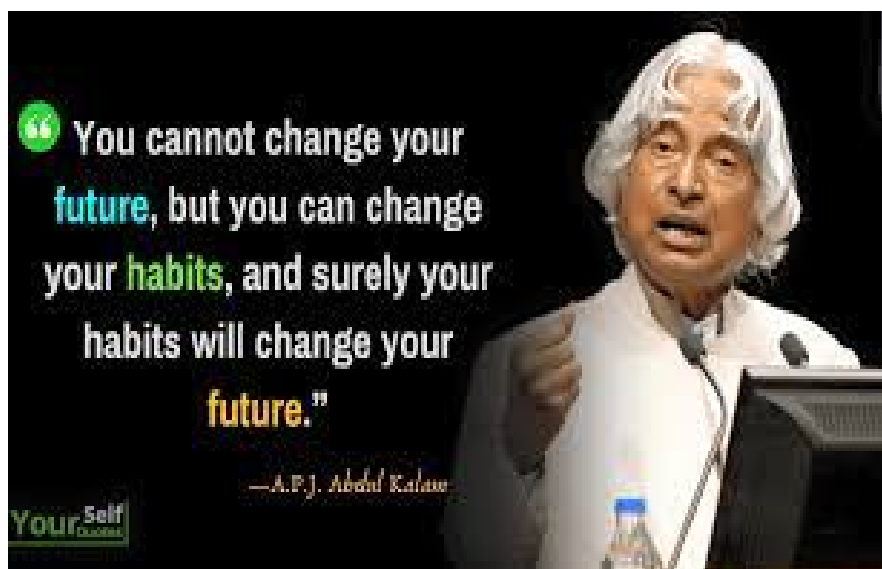
*Protecting Your Mental Health*

CELEBRATING  
**OCTOBER**  
BIRTHDAYS!

H. Evans	10/03
K. Hanna	10/03
L. Fleming	10/04
K. Yates	10/05
D. McClam	10/07
B. Purvis	10/06
L. Browder	10/08
J. Hutchinson	10/09
H. Cole	10/10
D. Cooper	10/10
A. Davis	10/10
M. Bryant	10/11
J. Hickson	10/11
C. McCutcheon	10/13
L. McKnight	10/13
K. Hanna	10/14
K. Avant	10/15
L. Corea	10/15
A. Lee	10/18
C. Poston	10/18
S. Morris	10/20
C. Evans	10/23
I. Howard	10/23
A. Mattocks	10/23
T. State	10/23
S. Cromartie	10/24
A. Evans	10/26
J. Cummings	10/27
T. Martin	10/27
A. Strickland	10/27
K. Patrick	10/28
M. Reynolds	10/28
M. Hanniford	10/29
J. Thames	10/31



Carolina Climb  
October 15, 2021  
9th grade students  
More information to come.



# Good Information to Know

## SAT and ACT Testing Dates

### ACT

Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline
September 11, 2021	August 6	August 20
October 23, 2021	September 17	October 1
December 11, 2021	November 5	November 1
February 12, 2022	January 7	January 21
April 2, 2022	February 25	March 11
June 11, 2022	May 6	May 20
July 16, 2022	June 17	June 24

### SAT

Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline
August 28, 2021	July 30	August 17
October 2, 2021	September 3	September 21
November 6, 2021	October 8	October 26
December 4, 2021	November 4	November 23
March 12, 2022	February 11	March 1
May 7, 2022	April 8	April 26
June 4, 2022	May 5	May 25



**Check Powerschool regularly to monitor your grades.**



**Check your Google Classrooms daily for assignments and missed assignments.**



**Homework Center  
Tutoring Center  
Monday-Friday  
3:30-5:30**

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## ACCUPLACER Testing Information

- Accuplacer can be taken 3 times within a year.
- You must wait 14 days between test attempts.
- The first test is free
- Tests after subsequent attempts in the same year are subject to a \$10 retesting fee.
- Accuplacer scores valid for 4 years.
- Evening testing appointments available.
- ONLY Florence-Darlington Technical College requires the Accuplacer test.
- Accuplacer score needed: 210 or higher on the Reading section.

**Call (843)676-8591 M-Th from 8:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m. to schedule an appointment to test.**